

House Resolution 681

By: Representative Smith of the 129th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring Sam Jones for his service to the people of Harris County; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Sam Jones was born in 1918 in rural Harris County, Georgia; and

3 WHEREAS, he graduated from Hamilton High School, which is no longer in existence; and

4 WHEREAS, he is married to Earlene Davis Jones and they have one daughter, Glenda
5 Pilkington, four grandchildren, and one great-grandchild; and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Jones served as the Sheriff of Harris County for 24 years; and

7 WHEREAS, all of the citizens of Harris County should be proud of the safe atmosphere
8 found in the county, due in large part to the work of Sheriff Jones and the dedicated
9 professionals who serve so tirelessly protecting the people and property from harm; and

10 WHEREAS, it is only fitting that Sheriff Jones should be honored for his diligent service to
11 the people of Harris County.

12 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
13 the members of this body honor Sam Jones and commend him for his service as Sheriff of
14 Harris County.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
16 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Sam Jones.